

SOCIAL LIFE IN AND ABOUT PHILADELPHIA



MRS. WILLIAM WURTS HARMAR

Mrs. Harmar, who has been spending the summer in Chelsea, returned yesterday to her home, at 3101 Midvale Avenue, Germantown.

returned to their home on Glenn road, after a summer spent at Watch Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mason Onchester have returned from a two weeks' stay at Atlantic City and are now at St. Mary's Farm, their home on Church road.

WYNEWOOD—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beaver Browns returned last week from their wedding trip. Mrs. Brown will be remembered as Miss Marcey Curtin, whose marriage took place last month in Gloucester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Grenville Dodge Montgomery will not occupy their house, corner of Aubrey and Penn roads, this winter, but are spending their fall and winter with Mrs. Montgomery's father, the Rev. George Pomeroy Allen, at St. Mary's rectory, Ardmore.

MERION—Mrs. Walter T. Baird has returned from the Berkshire Hills, and opened Brooknoll, her attractive home on Highland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Off and family, of Latches lane, who spent the summer at their Chelsea cottage, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl E. Lindgren returned Tuesday to their home, Hazelhurst and Porrest avenues, after a two weeks' visit to Glen Riddle, Pa.

OVERBROOK—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin George Close have issued invitations for a musical to be given at their home, 6483 Drexel Road Friday evening, October 16.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCahan, of Overbrook avenue, have returned to their home for the winter.

ALONG THE READING

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brock and Miss Louise Brock are spending the autumn at their country place in Wyncote before opening their town house at 1417 Spruce street the latter part of November.

Mrs. Morris Herkness and Miss Ellen Herkness, of Chelton Hills, have gone to Atlantic City for several weeks before returning to town for the winter.

The Misses Perry, of Elkins Park, have issued invitations for a costume dance to be held at the Old York Road Country Club on Monday, October 5. The guests will be members of the younger school set.

Mrs. Howard Anthony, of Eleventh street and Chelton avenue, Oak Lane, gave a luncheon at her home yesterday. Among the guests were Mrs. Albert Parker, Mrs. Warren Baker, Mrs. Mayton Trumbauer, Mrs. Lewis Reman, Mrs. Theodore Dimmick, Mrs. Joseph Firman, Mrs. Benjamin Hitchner, Mrs. Charles Swalm, Mrs. William Locker, Mrs. Robert Padeley, Mrs. Edward Congdon, Mrs. Charles Eckman and Mrs. David Neifer.

Mrs. Albert Gee, of Camac street, Oak Lane, entertained a luncheon party at her home yesterday. Among the guests were Mrs. David Bencke, Mrs. B. C. D. Neuhauer, Mrs. Albert Dudley, Mrs. John Hitchner, Mrs. Howard Anthony, Mrs. James Hall, Mrs. Bateman Sadlington and Miss Lillian Marlon.

At the marriage of Miss Clara I. Schoble and Willis McDonald Powell, which will take place at 7 o'clock the evening of October 7, the maid of honor will be Miss Marguerite Bradley. Miss Beatrice E. Fair, of East Orange, N. J., will be bridesmaid, and the little flower girl will be Miss Elizabeth Jackson, daughter of Senator Jackson, of Maryland. The little train bearer will be Miss Ruth Lower.

Mr. Powell will be attended by his brother, Stephen A. Powell, Jr., and the ushers will be Herbert Druckler, of New York; Charles P. W. Cheney, of Elizabeth, N. J., and Frank Schoble, Jr., a brother of the bride. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schoble, the Oaks, Wyncote, Pa. The Rev. William Barnes Lower will perform the ceremony.

CHESTNUT HILL

Friends of Allan Hunter, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hunter, of St. Martin's, will be pleased to learn that he is recovering rapidly, after an operation for appendicitis a week ago.

Mr. Hunter's engagement to Miss Arabella Scott, daughter of Major and Mrs. W. Saunders Scott, was recently announced.

Mrs. Bolton Earnshaw, of Birch lane and Montgomery avenue, left yesterday for New York to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaylord over the week-end. Mrs. Gaylord will be remembered as Miss Martha Bell.

Mrs. John Strawbridge has returned from Northeast Harbor, Me., to her home on Mill Creek road.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Randolph will be glad to hear that their little son, Evan Randolph, Jr., is recovering rapidly from an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Julia Heebner, of East Evergreen avenue, is visiting Miss Coryell in Bay City, Mich., for a few weeks.

Mrs. Toomas Potter is spending several days in New York.

GERMANTOWN

Sad as war conditions are, nothing seems to dampen the spirits of the young when it comes to dancing. Noticed at Manheim on Wednesday night were Mrs. Florence Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Bolton Earnshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. John Blakey, Mr. and Mrs. William Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Warner Earnshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Zigler, Miss Ruth Eisenhower, Miss Gladys Edwards, Miss Dorothy Daniel, Miss Anna Taylor, Miss Margaret Bradbury, Miss Dorothy Bradbury, George White, Joseph Shoemaker, Frank Green, Yale Hutchinson, Alfred Wolstenholm, French Emmonds, Horace Cleever, W. H. Kurtz and Frederick Brewster.

Yale Hutchinson has returned from Cape May, where he spent the months of August and September.

Miss Helen McCracken has returned from Europe, and spent last week in Beach Haven as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCracken. Mr. and Mrs. McCracken closed their cottage this week and have returned to their home, 412 West Stafford street.

WEST PHILADELPHIA

The Hathaway Shakespeare Society will hold its first meeting of the season this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the Philomusian Clubhouse, 40th and Walnut streets. Following the meeting, afternoon tea will be served.

Mrs. John Biggestaff, of 513 Cedar avenue, has returned from Moylan, where she spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Johnson have closed their Alleghurst home and moved to their town home, 268 Chestnut street, for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rittenhouse and their daughter, Miss Mella Rittenhouse, have closed their home on West Chester pike and returned to their town home, 351 Hazel avenue.

SOUTHWEST PHILADELPHIA

Many of the sewing circles that were so popular last season have already reorganized, and their meetings are full of interest and activity. Christmas work for the many little orphans that will be left in the warring countries affords a splendid opportunity for nimble fingers to play the role of Santa, and many of the

younger set have entered the ranks with a will. One of the most active circles may be found every Thursday evening at 1705 South Broad street, under the direction of Miss May Ferris and Miss Agnes Ryan. Among the members may be mentioned the following: Miss Anna Dougherty, Miss May Heley, Miss Catherine Brennan, Miss Anna Stewart, Miss Marie Duffy, Miss May Myer, Miss Marian Dea, Miss Regina Donahue and Miss Dottie Buckingham.

Miss Mary Moon, who has spent the summer months at Wildwood, returned to her home, 1927 South Seventeenth street, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shearer, of Carrothers, O., will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Schaefer, of 1810 South Twentieth street, during the coming week.

Miss Maria Smith, of 2135 South Fifteenth street, who spent the summer months at Atlantic City, has returned to her home for the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Kelly have closed their cottage at Ventnor, where they have been entertaining during the summer months, and returned to their home, 1141 South Eighteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. McCormick, of 1730 South Eighteenth street, will entertain on October 5 with an informal dinner in honor of their guest, Frank A. Healy, of Gleason, Va. Some among those invited are Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Cantlin, Miss Mary Bradley, Miss Madeline Burns and George A. Walters.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson and her family have closed their cottage in Cape May, where they have been since May 1, and returned to their home, 1517 South Fifteenth street.

Friends of the Rev. Robert Connors, of Catawaca, Pa., will be sorry to learn that he is ill in St. Agnes' Hospital.

Mrs. George P. Blackford, of Cleveland, O., will be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. O. J. Stanger, at her home, 1740 South Eighteenth street, during the latter part of this month. Mrs. Blackford will remain in the city until Christmas, and many delightful affairs have been planned in her honor.

Miss Elizabeth Brown, who spent the summer at Arlington Beach, has returned to her home, 1420 Castle avenue.

NORTHWEST PHILADELPHIA

Miss Virginia Hume, of 1919 West Dauphin street, gave a kitchen shower on Tuesday night for Miss Edna B. Culbertson, whose marriage to Clarence J. O'Brien will take place in October. The decorations were yellow and white, the flowers used being dahlias. The guests were Miss Emma Clark, Miss Helen Eberbach, Miss Josephine Eberbach, Miss Emma Campbell, Miss Maria Schultz, Miss Ella Abbott, Miss Clara Abbott, Miss Margaret Culbertson, Miss May Culbertson, Miss Mildred Haas, Miss Marian McDade, Miss Mina Newlands, Miss Edith Clark, Miss Edna Simpson, Miss Kathryn Hubert, Miss Margaret Stapleford, Miss Lillian Gordon, Miss Florence Nuttall, Miss Marian McDade, Miss Miriam Hume, Mrs. William Eberbach, Mrs. Charles Campbell, Mrs. Henry Schultz, Mrs. Howard Abbott, Mrs. A. J. O'Brien, Mrs. Aaron Henricks, Mrs. William Kamp and Mrs. William Hume.

TIOGA

The Tioga Shakespeare Club, of which Professor Willard K. Ross, of the department of literature of the Northeast High School, is president and lecturer, will open the season's meetings with an informal reception on Thursday night, October 9, in the parish house of the Church of the Resurrection, Broad and Tioga streets. The association studies one play every five weeks and the work corresponds to the graduate courses in the University of Pennsylvania. It was organized with a membership of 50, which is constantly increasing.

Miss Marian Bertolet, of 346 North Eighteenth street, gave a luncheon yesterday at her home. Her guests were her associates in the Phi Pi Alpha sorority of the Girls' High School.

E. D. Bernheimer, of 224 West Tioga street, has returned from Atlantic City.

CAMDEN AND VICINITY

The ladies of the Collingswood Country Club will give a card party this afternoon, the second of a series.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haaga have moved from Audubon to their new home at 714 Linden street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Magoun, of Mansion avenue, Haddonfield, have sent out invitations to the wedding of their daughter, Miss Katherine Magoun, to Harry Day, of Bath, Me., on October 14.

Members of the Haddonfield Country Club are giving a three days' "Country Fair" for the benefit of the new clubhouse.

Mrs. J. E. Baer, formerly of 565 Stevens street, who has lived in Southern California for a number of years, is revisiting her old home.

Another former Camden woman, Mrs. Herbert Goodell, who will be remembered as Miss Gertrude Hollinshed, now of Livermore, Cal., is spending three months in the city, accompanied by her young son.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Morse Archer and family are again in their Haddonfield home, after a summer at Barnegat Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Price Challenger are now at home to their friends in their new home at 6 Clifton avenue, Merchantville.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Reave, and Miss Elizabeth Cooper Reave, of 201 State street, have returned from the Cliff House, Lake Minnewaska, N. Y.

WHITEMARSH RACES

Members of Hunting Set Engage Parking Spaces For Race Meet Tomorrow.

An unusual number of parking spaces have been taken for the Whitemarsh race meeting, to be held tomorrow on the Erdensheim track, near Chestnut Hill. Among those who have reserved spaces for automobiles and coaches are J. Gerhard Leiper, Jr., Captain Arthur B. Cook, William J. Sewell, William C. Warder, Dr. George Woodward, Charles Edward Ingersoll, Edward D. Toland, Fred S. Whittaker, R. Nelson Buckley, George F. Tyler, Marshall S. Morgan, E. Florens Rivinus, Jesse Williamson, Z. Miss Emily Barclay, William H. Ellis, Frederick H. Strawbridge, Judge J. Willis Martin, Major Edward B. Cassatt, C. Bradford Fraley, Mrs. Arthur Biddle, James W. Cook, Henry Fraser Harris, Theodore C. Voorhees, Daniel D. Wentz, John H. Packard, 36, Archibald Barkie, Howard Houston Henry, Miss Larie Louise Wanamaker, Samuel F. Houston, A. J. Antelo Devereux, J. Stanley Reave, Richard M. Cadwalaver, Jr., W. T. Supple, Mrs. C. M. Wain, Robert Kelsa Cassatt, Hamilton Diaston Augustus B. Staughton, Mrs. H. Howard Ellison, Jr., Stevenson Crothers, Edwin N. Benson, Jr., George D. Widener, Jr., Eugene Dixon, Miss Eleanor Hopkins, Robert Giendinning, George Willing, Jr., Miss Gladys Williams, William M. Kerr, Mrs. Samuel D. Riddle, Miss Sarah Dobsen Elks, Clement N. Williams.

THE DRAMA



BELLE STORY who sings delightfully in "Chin-Chin," at the Forrest.

THEATRICAL BAFDEKER

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—"Cabrira," moving-picture drama, by Gabriella D'Annunzio, of the third century B. C.

ADELPHI—"The Revolt," by Edward Locke, starring Helen Ware. Neglected wife, desperate, rushes to ruin. Ruin proves absolute. She recovers in time. Stepmother tips-pleas. Child nearly dies from eating bananas.

BROAD—"Lady Windermere's Fan." Revival of Oscar Wilde's satire by Margaret Anglin. One of the cleverest plays of the century, never more brilliantly presented.

CHESTNUT STREET OPERA HOUSE—"Pilate's Daughter," miracle play, by Francis L. Kenel. The daughter of Pontius Pilate performs miracles by a rose which touched Christ's garment, and finally meets martyrdom.

FORREST—"Chin-Chin," musical comedy by Anne Caldwell and R. H. Burnside, music by Ivan Caryll, with Montgomery and Stony. Splendidly spectacular, fantastically funny; gorgeous girls and gowns.

GARRICK—"Nearly Married," farce comedy, by Edgar Selwyn, starring Bruce McRae. Attentive, but amusing.

WALNUT—"Bringing Up Father," musical comedy, based on George McManus' cartoons, by Gus Hill.

FLASHES FROM "STARS"

Fred Stone, of Montgomery and Stone, playing in "Chin-Chin" at the Forrest, is a keen sportsman, and has hunted in Alaska, the Rocky Mountains, on the banks of the Orinoco and in far-off Greenland. In fact, his hunting achievements rival those of the redoubtable "T. R." He is likewise an enthusiastic yachtsman and polo player.

David Montgomery, the senior member of the popular team, on the other hand, is devoted to horses. When he is not acting he is off with his equines. He knows the record and pedigree of every trotting horse ever foaled, and it is his boast that he has not missed an English Derby for 15 years.

John McCabe, who plays Tom Robinson in "Nearly Married," at the Garrick, says the actor from the "small time" theatre frequently outdistances his rival in higher places because the meaning of failure is unknown in the "small time."

"While waiting for a car in a Pittsburgh suburb the other night," explained Mr. McCabe, "I overheard this conversation: 'I'm a screw in my new act,' said the first speaker, a young chap who couldn't have been more than 15 years old.

"A scream?" said my friend. "Why, six weeks ago I saw them jell you with eggs?"

"Yes," he replied, with gratification, "that is right. But they used to throw bricks!"

Ruth Holt Bonicault, who plays the part of the Duchess of Berwick in "Lady Windermere's Fan" has attained the distinction of being a successful novelist. Miss Bonicault's latest book, "The Substance of His House," has been a "best seller." Miss Bonicault is now engaged in making a stage version of the novel, which she hopes to have produced when it is finished.

Margaret Anglin is one of the most widely traveled of American women. In the course of her tours around and about the world she has encountered many interesting and several curious individuals. "The most curious I ever met was a cabinier I employed during my engagement in Sydney, Australia," said Anglin. "Toward the end of my engagement was desirous of extending him the courtesy of seats to see my performance. To my surprise when the Jehu politely declined favor with the following explanation: 'I want to see no plays. I see quite a 'human nature drivin' this 'ere old o' day.'"

Miss Anglin's autumn tour in "Lady Windermere's Fan" will take her to the Eastern and Southern cities. Her New York season will begin shortly after New Year when she will present "The Divine Comedy" Charles Phillips, a San Francisco newspaper writer, and a new comedy by Ernest D. The English dramatist. She will give several special Shakespearean performances at her needs.

Next spring Miss Anglin will appear in a revival of "Aeolus," by Euripides, in the Theatre of the University of California at Berkeley, Cal., after which she will make a months' tour of Australia in a repertoire of plays.

After a career of 50 years, Mrs. Thomas Whiffen will make her last stage appearance as the grandmother in "The Beautiful Adventure," which Charles Frohman will present at the Broad Street Theatre November 5. "The Beautiful Adventure" is by the author of "Love Watches," and, like it, ran for more than a year in Paris. George Egerton, the adapter, stipulated by the authors, has made the English text. The principal characters will be played by Charles Cherry, Ann Murdoch, Ernest Lawford and Mrs. Whiffen.

The American debut of Gabriella D'Annunzio's "The Hawk," with William Faversham, is to prove interesting, for in Dorziat has been a pronounced favorite. London, too, when the actress made her appearance in an English-speaking role, she stepped into immediate popularity. Miss Dorziat will play in English the same role which she created in the Paris production of "The Hawk."

Marie Tempest is coming back to America. Her American managers, the Shuberts, announce that she and Graham Broune, who was seen here as her leading man some years ago, will arrive from England by way of Canada and will begin their tour at Toronto on October 5. Miss Tempest is to appear in "The Marriage of Kitty," one of her old successes, and when she comes to New York she will also be seen in a new comedy by Henry Arthur Jones, "Mr. Comes First," and possibly also in "At the Barn," a play in which she scored a success a year ago in London.

In spite of the great success which she scored in vaudeville in London, Elsie Janis, owing to the war, has canceled all her Broadway contracts, which were to have kept her in London for a year at least, and will sail for New York on the Olympic on October 7. Whether American manager, Charles B. Dillingham, tends to present her in a new musical vaudeville season is not known, but it is believed that Miss Janis on her return will enter vaudeville this side of the water, for a short time, at least.

George W. Monroe, one of the stars in "The Passing Show of 1914," which will open an engagement at the Lyric Theatre October 5, "Philadelphia boy," having been reared and educated in this city. Since setting out in the world, he has achieved noteworthy success being today considered one of the greatest comedians on the stage. His forte is the delineation of grotesque woman characters, and in this art he is in a class by himself.

Low Fields has engaged Miss Jose Collins for the title role of "Suzi" in his forthcoming production of the operetta of that name. Miss Collins is at present the prima donna of the Winter Garden. "Suzi," which will be one of Mr. Fields' most pretentious productions of the season, is a Hungarian operetta which has been playing for three years in Budapest, and for which Mr. Fields obtained the American and English rights from Edward F. Ruch. It was written by Frank Mavor, with music by a Royal. The English version is made by Hauerbach, author of "Three Twins," "Mad Sheep," "High Jinks" and other success. George Marion, producer of "The Merry Widow," is starring the operetta, which is scheduled for production early next month.

AMUSEMENTS CHESTNUT STREET OPERA MATINEE TOMORROW AT 2:15 THEATREBOSS' SUCCESS Pilate's Daughter THE GREAT MIRACLES... ADELPHI LAST 3 TIMES HELEN WARE IN "THE REVOLT" GRACE GEORGE "THE TRUTH" B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE A BILL OF PLACES AND TICKETS... MONTGOMERY & STONE IN "CHIN-CHIN," A New Musical Fantasy BROAD This & Next Week, Nights at 8:15 Margaret Anglin GARRICK This & Next Week, Nights at 8:15 NEARLY MARRIED BRUCE McRAE NIXON'S "MOTHER WOODS" LAMB'S GRAND THEATRE... PALACE THEATRE 1214 MARKET ST. LONDON'S "THE SEA WOLF" AND QUALITY VAUDEVILLE THE WALNUT-Matinee Tomorrow, 2:15, by "BRINGING UP FATHER" LYRIC—Seats Now Selling! THE PASSING SHOW OF 1914 Philadelphia Orchestra SALE OF SEASON TICKETS TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC NOW CASINO THEATRE GAY NEW YORK TANGUO CONTEST TONIGHT